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For: **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE USING LOW-K MATERIAL AS
INTERLAYER INSULATING FILM AND ITS MANUFACTURE
METHOD**

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
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Date: April 20, 2005

Sir:

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Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	8	Minus	20	= 0
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	4	Minus	3	= 1
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))				

SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
X \$25		OR	X\$50	.00
X \$100		OR	X\$200	200.00
+ \$180		OR	+ \$360	.00
TOTAL ADD'L FEE			TOTAL ADD'L FEE	200.00

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APPLICATION AS FILED – PART I									
(Column 1)		(Column 2)		SMALL ENTITY		OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY			
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA		RATE (\$)	FEE (\$)	RATE (\$)	FEE (\$)		
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a), (b), or (c))									
SEARCH FEE (37 CFR 1.16(k), (l), or (m))									
EXAMINATION FEE (37 CFR 1.16(o), (p), or (q))									
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(i))	minus 20 =	*		X	=	X	=		
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(h))	minus 3 =	*		X	=	X	=		
APPLICATION SIZE FEE (37 CFR 1.16(s))	If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).								
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(j))									
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	Total (37 CFR 1.16(i))	*	8	Minus	** 20	X	=	X	=
	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(h))	*	5	Minus	*** 3	X	=	X 200 =	400
Application Size Fee (37 CFR 1.16(s))									
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(j))									
						TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	400
(Column 1)		(Column 2)		(Column 3)		SMALL ENTITY		OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
AMENDMENT B		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE (\$)	ADDI-TIONAL FEE (\$)	RATE (\$)	ADDI-TIONAL FEE (\$)
	Total (37 CFR 1.16(i))	*		Minus	**	X	=	X	=
	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(h))	*		Minus	***	X	=	X	=
Application Size Fee (37 CFR 1.16(s))									
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(j))									
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